(LVIIth YEAR.) THE (No. 2887.)

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1802.

NEW-YORK, May 7.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

The ship Betsey, arrived yesterday, had a passage of 40 days from Liverpool. The editors of the New-York Gazette have received London papers by her to the 24th March. We should be happy to be the harbinger of good news, or of saying something that would alleviate the present anxiety of the public mind; but it appears that the affairs in Europe continue to be in an unsettled state. The definitive treaty between England and France was not signed; but there was a probability it would be in a very short time. England is said to have demanded the whole sovereignty of Malta; which it is expected would be granted by the first consul. Preparations for defence, notwithstanding, continue in England; and an additional number of troops have been ordered to the West-Indies. The Medusa frigate, which was to take out lord Nelson, had been riding at single anchor for five days, waiting for his arrival to sail immediately. Switzerland appears to be in a tumultuous state.—500 troops had arrived at Bienne, which had given rise to many conjectures. The emperors of Germany and Russia, have declared, that they have seen, with interest, the definitive organization of the Italian republic; and declare their resolution, notwithstanding, to send ambassadors to that republic. The ill success of the French in St. Domingo had been officially announced in the Paris papers. The American treaty bill was passed in the house of commons. American flour at Liverpool was at 40s. sterling per bl.

PARIS, March 13.

THE marquis de Lucchesini, minister from his majesty the king of Prussia, congratulated on the 13th of this month, (March 6) the chief consul on the issue of the congress at Lyons.

Count Gobentzel, ambassador from his majesty the emperor of Germany, has communicated directly to the first consul, on the 18th (March 8) the resolution of his Imperial majesty to admit ministers plenipotentiary from the Batavian, Helvetic and Italian republics; and that his majesty was disposed, on his part, to appoint ministers of the same rank to reside in those republics. He at the same time declared, that his Imperial majesty had seen with interest the definitive organization of the Italian republic.

The count de Marcoff has received, by the return of the courier, that he had sent off to notify the issue of the congress at Lyons, his credentials to reside at Paris as minister plenipotentiary. The chief de brigade Golincourt has written, by the same courier, that his Imperial majesty of all the Russias has seen with interest the motion made at Lyons, to reopen a commerce with his dominions.

March 15.

For these ten days past, all the English journals are crying out like *madmen* for *WAR!* Some orators of the parliament do not disguise their opinions more. Their heart distils but gall.

"The first consul does not wish for peace"—The ministers, to whom Europe and humanity owe so much, Mr. Addington, lord Hawkesbury, &c. are imposed upon.

Yet it is now a fortnight, if we may believe persons worthy of credit, since all the articles were agreed upon at Amiens: that the discussions with respect to drawing up the articles are determined, and that if it be not signed, it is only that a last courier is expected from London.

What signifies, then, the language of these turbulent writers! The advantages which the preliminaries give to Great-Britain are sufficiently great. But the continental power of France must be restrained! Why then did the king and the unanimous voice of the nation ratify the preliminaries? and if it were necessary to impose upon France continental sacrifices, why Mr. Grenville, did you not treat when you had allies, when their army was encamped upon the Alps, when the Russian armies were yet doubtful of making a retrograde march, and when la Vendee, still smoking, occupied a portion of the French army? And since you did not think that France was sufficiently enfeebled to attain your end, but still thought you ought to continue the war, it was necessary, Mr. Windham, to direct it better; it was necessary that these 25,000 men, who were parading uselessly, at so much expence, on the coasts of the ocean, and before Cadiz, should have entered Genoa the same day Melas did; it was necessary not to give the world the hideous and almost unexampled spectacle of bombarding the subjects of a king, your ally, even in his capital, without declaration of war, and almost without having sent back his ambassador.

What do you hope for? to renew a coalition. The master of Copenhagen has destroyed coalitions for 30 years.

What would you then? Pull down the ministry, whose wise hand has been able to cure a part of wounds you have inflicted. But at length, if, to assuage your ambition, you should draw your party into an abyss of evils, your nation will soon regret the preliminaries of London, as it has regretted the armistice of El Arich. The details of the congress at Amiens plainly shew, that the English nation, which holds such a distinguished rank in the world, by their deep and correct sense, and by the liberality of their ideas, must have towards the first consul of France a new movement of esteem and benevolence, because they will see, that it has not depended upon him that the peace was not prompt, honourable and eternal. Your passions, low and disgraceful, will be discovered, and you cannot long govern a nation, which spontaneously unites its voice with that of the whole world, to point out the enemies of men.

Telegraphic dispatch of the 13th March.

It was demanded by the first consul of the maritime prefect of Brest, news,

1. Of the health of the army of St. Domingo.
2. Of that of the general in chief.
3. Of Madame Le Clerc.
4. If the conduct of Toussaint was good, bad, or doubtful.

It was replied, on the same day,

'That on the voyage, neither that army nor the squadron had lost a single man;

'That the general in chief was very well, and was with the advanced guard several leagues from the Cape when the order was sent off. That the first consul's sister had borne the voyage well, without being indisposed; that the conduct of Toussaint was still doubtful.'

The French funds are 57f.

The Moniteur of the 15th, contains long details respecting St. Domingo, which we are forced to defer till to-morrow.

There have been several engagements, and Toussaint resists the French force with all his power.

LONDON, March 16—18.

Lucien Buonaparte, and the celebrated Carnot, were, in the sitting of the 9th, elected by the senate, to fill the vacant places in the tribunate.

The negotiations between Austria and France relative to the occupancy of the Brisgau, are brought to a conclusion. It is decided that the French demi-brigade, or any other which the French government may send to replace it, shall remain in that country until its fate be definitively determined.

The American treaty bill was read a third time in the house of commons, on Monday, and passed.

March 21.

Yesterday Dresslens, the messenger, arrived at lord Hawkesbury's office with dispatches from lord Cornwallis; he left Amiens on Thursday. A report prevailed at the stock exchange, that the French minister at the congress, disclaiming all wishes to procrastinate the negotiation, had ascribed the delays which have hitherto occurred, in a principal degree to the agent of his Catholic majesty; and it is added, that he has in the name of the chief consul declared, that unless Spain conforms to the basis laid down in the preliminary articles, he will leave her to negotiate for herself, and conclude a peace without reference or consideration to her interests. The stocks yesterday were rather higher than on the day preceding. Consols opened at 60 1-8, and closed at a quarter.

The opposition with which the French forces in St. Domingo have been encountered is favourable to peace; although we hope it is not such as to warrant any serious apprehension for the ultimate success of the expedition. Had Toussaint submitted to the army of Le Clerc, or fallen before it, Buonaparte would have acquired a preponderance of power in the West-Indies, which would doubtless have increased his pretensions at Amiens; but now the success of this enterprize, in which the commercial interests of France are so immediately and so anxiously involved, is in a degree dependent on the peace; and whatever might have been the previous disposition of the French executive, we doubt not that their recent accounts from St. Domingo, have made them anxious for the early conclusion of the peace.

Government appears determined to watch the movement of the French expedition to St. Domingo with more discretion than they evinced in permitting it to sail; for, in addition to the troops which we have already mentioned to have been sent to Jamaica, a brigade is ordered thither from Gibraltar; and several of the regiments recently returned from Egypt to Ireland, and which have been recruited from the militia corps of that country, are also about to be sent to that island. The military establishments of most of our West-India settlements and islands we [illegible] as regards the [illegible] of troops which has so strongly manifested itself amongst the negroes.

The naval stations on the coast of Essex, have all hent their signal yards again, and the several officers, by orders from the admiralty, now carry on their telegraphic communications, in like manner as they did in the course of the war.

The 55th regiment of foot embarked on Wednesday morning at Portsmouth on board the Texel and Delft of 64 guns. The Ceres frigate is going to Cowes to take more troops on board. The West-Indies is supposed to be their destination.

Several of the beys of Egypt are preparing to oppose the grand vizier, who holds himself in readiness to resist their attack. The contest may be expected to be very critical, as the inhabitants of the country are more inclined to favour the beys than the new Turkish administration.

The Amsterdam Journal confirms the report of the pachs of Bosnio having joined the standard of the rebellious pacha of Widden, and that he was advancing at the head of a numerous army into Romania, and was within 200 miles of Constantinople.

March 23.

Mr. Hunter, jun. was not more than between twenty-two and twenty-three hours in coming from Amiens; one of the most expeditious journeys that was performed, and for which the messenger deserves much praise. His dispatches were of very great importance. A cabinet council was immediately summoned, which sat several hours. As soon as it broke up, Messrs. Hunter and Dresseus were dispatched to Amiens and Paris with the result. The plenipotentiaries at Amiens are said to be as actively employed as our cabinet. The conferences are daily, and are frequently carried on to a late hour at night. How does the activity accord with the assertion of the *Moniteur*, that all the articles had been agreed to, and even the wording of them completed? The following information has been transmitted to us. Upon a subject on which such secrecy has been preserved, we pretend not to pledge ourselves for the perfect accuracy of the statement, but it bears an aspect of great probability.

All the points that had been in discussion were, it is said, settled, and the articles drawn up about three weeks ago. Every body knows that till a treaty is signed, either of the negotiating parties may introduce new matter, if circumstances have occurred to render it necessary. Our ministers saw that the unanimous feeling of the country was against the result of the proceedings at Lyons, and the union of the French and Italian republics. To induce Buonaparte to abandon his new dignity was hopeless. But as France had placed herself in a situation of increased power since the preliminaries were signed, we had a right to require some equivalent. The country was with the ministers; and Malta, which was to have been under the protection of a third power, is said to have been demanded in full sovereignty to us. Buonaparte demurred, but situated as he is with respect to St. Domingo, and not ignorant of the voice of this country upon the subject of the Italian republic, he feels that he cannot eventually refuse our demands. This has displeased him—he knows that the British press has directed the attention and roused the feelings of the country, and hence these petulant invectives against it.

Such is the information that has been transmitted to us. At the cabinet council yesterday, nothing decisive, it is rumoured, took place. Further information is expected from France, and hence, it is believed, that the definitive treaty will not be received before the beginning of April.

A Dutch mail arrived this morning.

Our very intelligent correspondents at Amsterdam and the Hague inform us, that on the 16th several commercial houses in the former city received a courier from Amsterdam, with the intelligence that all obstacles to peace had been removed, and that nothing remained to be done but to sign the treaty. The Dutch funds rose immediately six per cent. The next day, however, another courier arrived, whose news is said not to have been so pacific, and the funds fell 5 per cent.

The Dutch government has ordered the council of marine not to suffer the fleet to sail till after signing the definitive treaty.

These circumstances have cast a deep gloom over the public mind in Holland. The merchants know not what to think or how to act. "If we look to France," say they, "we see no preparations for war, and we expect peace,—when we look to England, the brightness of the prospect vanishes, for we behold the utmost vigour and activity in all her ports."

A short time ago it was said in several papers, that the Dutch minister at Amiens, Schimmelpenninck, had demanded the fitting up of the Scheldt for the passage of vessels, the abolishing [illegible] of Flushing

port, in the ſame manner as Dunkirk. This aſſertion has been officially contradicted. The Dutch muſt, as we have more than once aſſerted, accede to ſuch terms as France chooſe to adopt.

It is very currently reported that the loan will be made this week. The inference drawn is, that the definitive treaty will be immediately ſigned, and therefore the miniſter will be able to make his loan. The fact, if true, will, however, bear a contrary inference; namely, that the miniſter ſees the treaty will not be concluded for ſome time, and that he will make the loan, rather than put the public ſervice to more inconvenience, or allow the enemy longer to imagine Britain waits for their permiſſion to raiſe money.

Major-gen. Barnet, the ſecond in command aſſumes the office of governor of the important fortreſs of Gibraltar by the death of gen. O'Hara.

The ſtock exchange, Lloyd's coffee houſe, and the lottery offices, are now thronged all day long with inquirers about the loan, the definitive treaty, and the ſtate of the wheel. Two to one was betted yeſterday, that Mr. Newland will announce the loan in three days; five to one that the treaty will arrive in the month of March; and even betting one of the four prizes of 20,000l. or one of the two prizes of 10,000l, will be drawn in the courſe of this week, excluſive of the firſt drawn ticket to-morrow morning. What with loans, treaties and capital prizes, at preſent the public mind is pretty well occupied; however, they will ſoon be relieved from the latter, as all the capital prizes will be drawn in a few days.

CORN EXCHANGE, March 22.

We have had the largeſt arrival of wheat in for this day's market than for ſome time paſt, which has cauſed that article to go off at a declenſion in price of full 8s. per quarter ſince this day week. Owing to a large ſtock of barley left laſt week, and a further arrival to-day, cauſed prime malting ſamples to be very dull, and full 2s. per quarter cheaper; as alſo are inferior oats, but fine ſorts are full as dear.—Both hog peaſe and tick beans are lower; but in ſmall beans little or no alteration. Flour 3s. per ſack, cheaper than laſt Monday.

Current prices of grain. Engliſh wheat 56s. to 63s. fine do 70s. to 72s. foreign 78s. to 80s. fine flour 62s. to 63s. per ſack.

Prices of ſtock, March 22. 3 per cent. C. 69 8/8 9/8 9. 3 per cent. ann. 101 1/4 102. Cons. for April 99 7/8 1/4.

PORTSMOUTH, March 17.

Lord Nelſon, contrary to general expectation, has not yet arrived; the Meduſa frigate, capt. Gore, has been riding at ſingle anchor for five days, in order to put to ſea with more facility when the gallant admiral arrives.

SALEM, April 30.

Captain Prince, of Marblehead, from Liſbon, informs, that col. Humphreys and his family arrived at that place from Madrid on the 12th March, to take paſſage for America in the ſhip Perſeverance, of New-York. Col. H. is well known as a ſoldier, a ſcholar, and a gentleman. He was miniſter plenipotentiary at the court of Spain till the preſidency of Mr. Jefferſon, who removed him and appointed Mr. Pinckney. On the 24th of March citizen general Lannes arrived at Liſbon from France, as miniſter plenipotentiary to the court of Portugal; a French corvette, lying oppoſite the town, was dreſt and ſaluted on the occaſion.

NEWBURYPORT, April 30.

FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN.

By captain Bagley, from Alicant, we have received copies of letters from conſul O'Brien, at Algiers, dated 19th and 20th February, to the American conſul at Alicant, ſtating that four of the ſix Algerine corſairs which had been cruiſing, had returned, after capturing five Neapolitan veſſels and ſixty-five Chriſtians, which were made ſlaves of—it was not known where the other two were—thoſe that have returned are preparing for another cruiſe—that on the 19th inſtant, our ambaſſador arrived from the baſhaw of Tripoli; he came in a prize, Swediſh veſſel, with half the crew French—brought ſome white and black ſlaves as preſents to the dey and miniſtry, and, we hear, has got a permit to go to Bona, on this coaſt, and load with wheat for Tripoli, where it was very ſcarce. It is a fact that three Tripolitan corſairs are at ſea in queſt of Americans and Swedes.

NEWARK, May 4.

Doctor M'Whorter, who was appointed by the truſtees of Princeton college, to go into the eaſtern ſtates to ſolicit donations for the rebuilding of that college lately conſumed by fire, writes thus to one of his friends in Newark, dated Boſton, April 23, 1802:

"Here I am exceedingly buſy, and I and my miſſion are treated with an attention, politeneſs, and ſucceſs, far beyond my moſt ſanguine expectation.

"Our friends here think we ought not only to have our loſſes repaired, but ſome handſome addition to our funds. This is the town of charity, liberality and hoſpitality. They have ſubſcriptions in hand for two great charities, for which they muſt raiſe 60,000 dollars.—This may make my application at this juncture not ſo propitious—I have as yet been employed in preparatory work rather than direct application—I was juſt looking over my ſubſcription, and it amounts to 2240 dollars, 1500 of which were given by three gentlemen, 1000 by one, 300 by another, and 200 by a third.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.

Yeſterday arrived the brig William, capt. Quadrille, from Liſbon, which he left the 27th of March, and informs, that the news we had via Boſton was the general converſation; to which was added, that a fleet of Engliſh ſhips of the line were cruiſing off Breſt. Captain Q. alſo mentions, that a piratical veſſel had made its appearance off Cadiz, that a boat was picked up with the body of a man whoſe head had been cut off, and another with both arms cut off.

INFORMATION

To merchants trading with St. Domingo.

Extract of a letter from Port-Republican, dated 3d April.

"I have only time to inform you, that I have juſt heard a new impoſition of 10 per cent. additional duties which are about to be laid by this government on dry goods, other than thoſe of the manufacture of France, which makes the duties on dry goods 20 per cent. and on exports the ſame."

From Kingſton (Jamaica) papers of the 23d March laſt.

Seven parcels of very inferior graſs, weighing from 3 1/4 to 3 1/2 lbs. each, were ſubmitted to the conſideration of the ſitting magiſtrates, at the office of clerk of the peace, yeſterday morning, by an inhabitant, as having purchaſed the ſame at the rate of 7 1/2 each, from the agents of a Monſ. La Seine, at his graſs yard, near the Wherry wharf. If this dry weather continues, and this man's conſcience ſhall be ſuffered to roam at large in ſuch extortionate field, the community (as far as depends upon him at leaſt) may ſoon expect the proviſionary rates of the *fleſh* and *graſs* markets to be preciſely the ſame; namely, 20d. the lb!

ST. JAGO-DE-LA-VEGA, March 20.

It is with pleaſure we notice the proſpect of increaſing crops to be ſhipped at Old Harbour this ſeaſon. There are at preſent 29 Britiſh ſhips lying in that bay with the greateſt probability of being there fully laden. We underſtand that 17 is the greateſt number of ſhips ever recollected at one time in the bay.

May 8.

On Monday laſt the general ſociety of the Cincinnati met at the Capitol, in the city of Waſhington, when the following officers where choſen for the three enſuing years.

Major-general Alexander Hamilton, preſident-general.

Major-general C. C. Pinckney, vice-preſident-general.

Major Wm. Jackſon, ſecretary-general.

——— ——— Bell, aſſiſtant ſecretary-general.

Brigadier-general Wm. M'Pherſon, treaſurer-general.

According to the conſtitution the next meeting of the ſociety will be held on the firſt Monday of May, 1805. And the ſociety have determined that it be held at Philadelphia.

ALEXANDRIA, May 5.

The United States frigate Preſident, lately from the Mediterranean, arrived yeſterday and anchored oppoſite the town.

Mr. Lear was at Mount Vernon laſt evening, and proceeds to the city of Waſhington to-day. We underſtand that on Le Clerc's return from the ſouthern part of St. Domingo, he informed Mr. Lear, that he had no authority to recogniſe him as an official character. This circumſtance, together with the inefficacy of his repeated applications for a ceſſation of the unwarrantable ſeverity with which the Americans were treated, rendered his ſituation too unpleaſant for him to remain. Captain Rogers, late of the Maryland ſloop of war, and captain Davis, of the ſhip St. Domingo Packet, of Philadelphia, were impriſoned by the French at the Cape; upon what cauſe could not be aſcertained.

The ſame day the Ardent ſailed, the Dutch fleet of eight ſail of the line ſailed for the United States.

The greater part of the French fleet had ſailed for France.

WASHINGTON, May 7.

Yeſterday Mr. Lear arrived here from Cape-Francois.

We learn that on the return of general Le Clerc from Port-au-Prince, he informed Mr. Lear, that from an examination of the treaty between France and the United States, and from the nature of his [Le Clerc's] powers, he did not think himſelf authoriſed to recognize him in the character of conſul of the United States.—Mr. Lear accordingly took his leave.

We underſtand that the treaty only authoriſes the United States to ſend conſuls to the European poſſeſſions of France, and that previouſly to the year 1796, no American conſuls were received in the French Weſt-Indies.

When Mr. Lear ſailed, American produce was very low. The day before he departed, the Batavian fleet, conſiſting of 4 ſhips of the line, had ſailed for New-York.

BALTIMORE, May 8.

The editors received from their correſpondent at Norfolk, by the packet arrived on Thurſday evening laſt, the following article.

NORFOLK, Tueſday May 4, 11 o'clock.

This moment we received London accounts to the 26th March, on which day the treaty was not ſigned, but momently expected.

[Other letters received in town from Norfolk concur with the above, in ſtating that the general expectation, at the time of the veſſel's leaving London, was, that the definitive treaty would be ſigned. This, however, was only an opinion, grounded, perhaps, upon the deciſive and vigorous meaſures adopted by Great-Britain. [*Fed. Gaz.*]

The votes for governor of Maſſachuſetts, in all the towns of the common wealth, except 10 or 12, are,

For Governor Strong	20,935
Mr. Gerry	19,541
Majority	10,394

The legiſlature of Tenneſſee paſſed a law at their laſt ſeſſion, inflicting a penalty of one hundred dollars on any perſon bringing into that ſtate any negro, or other ſlave or ſervant of colour, beſides the loſs of his right and intereſt in ſuch ſlave or ſervant.

May 10.

From St. Croix, we learn, that ſeveral of the principal barge-rs of that iſland, who had been ſaid to unjuſtly favour the Britiſh while they had it in poſſeſſion, had been confined in the fort, and were to be tranſported to Denmark for trial, in an armed brig now preparing for ſea. Amongſt the number of thoſe arreſted, it is ſaid, the noted judge Appleby is included.——A warm preſs of ſailors had recently taken place at St. Croix, to man their ſhips. [*N. Y. Gaz.*]

Annapolis, May 13.

ACTS

Paſſed at the firſt ſeſſion of the 7th congreſs.

An act extending the privilege of franking and receiving letters free of poſtage to any perſon admitted or to be admitted to take a ſeat in congreſs as a delegate; and providing compenſation for ſuch delegate.

An act concerning the library for both houſes of congreſs.

An act for the apportionment of repreſentatives among the ſeveral ſtates according to the ſecond enumeration.

An act for the protection of the commerce and ſeamen of the United States againſt the Tripolitan cruiſers.

An act to authoriſe an advance of money to Samuel Dexter.

An act for the relief of Lyon Lehman.

An act authoriſing the diſcharge of Lawrence Erb from his confinement.

An act making certain partial appropriations for the year 1802.

An act to amend an act, entitled, "An act to lay and collect a direct tax within the United States."

An act for the relief of Francis Duchouquet.

An act fixing the military eſtabliſhment of the United States.

An act to repeal certain acts reſpecting the organization of the courts of the United States; and for other purpoſes.

An act to authoriſe the preſident of the United States to convey certain parcels of land therein mentioned.

An act to regulate trade and intercourſe with the Indian tribes, and to preſerve peace on the frontiers.

An act making appropriation for defraying the expence of a negotiation with the Britiſh government to aſcertain the boundary line between the United States and Upper Canada.

An act for the accommodation of perſons concerned in certain fiſheries therein mentioned.

An act authoriſing the erection of certain light-houſes; and for other purpoſes.

An act to repeal the internal taxes.

An act making a partial appropriation for the ſupport of government during the year 1802.

An act for the relief of Iſaac Zane.

An act for the relief of the marſhals of certain diſtricts therein mentioned.

An act to eſtabliſh an uniform rule of naturalization, and to repeal the acts heretofore paſſed on the ſubject.

An act making appropriation for defraying the expences which may ariſe from carrying into effect the convention made between the United States and the French republic.

An act to revive and continue in force an act, entitled, "An act to augment the ſalaries of the officers therein mentioned," paſſed the ſecond day of March, one thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine.

An act to amend an act, entitled, "An act to retain a further ſum on drawbacks, for expences incident to the allowance and payment thereof, and in lieu of ſtamp duties and debentures."

An act declaring the aſſent of congreſs to an act of the general aſſembly of Virginia, therein mentioned.

An act for the relief of Thomas K. Jones.

An act for the relief of Paolo Paoly.

An act for the relief of Louis Toulard.

An act in addition to an act, entitled, "An act in addition to an act regulating the grants of land appropriated for military ſervices, and for the ſociety of the United Brethren for propagating the Goſpel among the heathen."

An act making proviſion for the redemption of the whole of the public debt of the United States.

An act to amend the judicial ſyſtem of the United States.

An act to regulate and fix the compenſations of the officers of the ſenate and houſe of repreſentatives.

An act for the relief of Theodoſius Fowler.

An act for the relief of the widows and orphans of certain perſons who have died in the naval ſervice of the United States.

An act ſupplementary to an act, entitled, "An act for the encouragement of learning, by ſecuring the copies of maps, charts and books, to the authors and proprietors of ſuch copies during the time therein mentioned," and extending the benefits thereof to the arts of deſigning, engraving, and etching hiſtorical and other prints.

An act to revive and continue in force an act, entitled, "An act for eſtabliſhing trading houſes with the Indian tribes."

An act to ſuſpend, in part, the act, entitled, "An act regulating foreign coins; and for other purpoſes."

An act to amend an act to eſtabliſh the compenſations of officers employed in the collection of duties on imports and tunnage; and for other purpoſes.

An act to enable the people of the eaſtern diviſion of the territory north-weſt of the river Ohio, to form a conſtitution and ſtate government, and for the admiſſion of ſuch ſtate into the union on an equal footing with the original ſtates; and for other purpoſes.

An act to provide for the eſtabliſhment of certain diſtricts, and therein to amend an act, entitled, "An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tunnage;" and for other purpoſes.

An act making appropriations for the military eſtabliſhment of the United States, in the year 1802.

An act making an appropriation for the ſupport of the navy of the United States, for the year 1802.

An act to aboliſh the board of commiſſioners in the city of Waſhington; and for other purpoſes.

An act making appropriations for the ſupport of government, for the year 1802.

An act to extend, and continue in force, the proviſions of an act, entitled, "An act giving a right of pre-emption to certain perſons who have contracted with John Cleves Symmes, or his aſſociates, for lands lying between the Miami rivers, in the territory north-weſt of the Ohio; and for other purpoſes."

An act to empower John James Dufour, and his aſſociates, to purchaſe certain lands.

An act to incorporate the inhabitants of the city of Waſhington, in the diſtrict of Columbia.

An act further to alter and eſtabliſh certain poſt-roads; and for the more ſecure carriage of the mail of the United States.

An act to amend an act, entitled, "An act for the relief of ſick and diſabled ſeamen;" and for other purpoſes.

An act making an appropriation for carrying into effect the convention between the United States of America, and his Britannic majeſty.

An act for the relief of Fulwar Skipwith.

An act additional to, and amendatory of, an act, entitled, "An act concerning the diſtrict of Columbia."

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 31ſt inſtant, if fair, if not the firſt fair day, at the houſe of the ſubſcriber, near the Swamp Bridge, in Anne-Arundel county,

ALL the perſonal eſtate of PAUL BUGY, late of ſaid county, deceaſed, conſiſting of negroes, horſes, cattle, hogs, and ſome houſehold furniture. The ſale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M. and continue till all is ſold. Terms of ſale ready caſh.

JOHN PHIPS, Adminiſtrator.

May 11, 1802. 10w 7/6

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the late Mr. PEREGRINE BOND, of Saint-Mary's county, deceaſed, that unleſs they exhibit their reſpective claims, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the ſubſcriber, at or before the firſt day of September next, they may otherwiſe by law be excluded from any benefit of the ſaid deceaſed's eſtate. Given under my hand this 8th day of May, eighteen hundred and two.

ELISHA JOHNSON, Adminiſtrator of P. Bond. 10w 7/6

LAWS of MARYLAND,

Compiled by WILLIAM KILTY, Eſquire,

With a copious INDEX,

In two volumes,

Handſomely bound in calf, and lettered,

Printed under the authority of the General Aſſembly,

Price, Twenty-five Dollars,

Are now ready for SALE, and may be had at the Printing-Office, Annapolis.

The following is an extract from the report of the committee of the Houſe of Delegates appointed to examine the work.

"THE committee to whom was referred the memorial of William Kilty, having referred to the reſolutions of the general aſſembly, by which the memorialiſt has been appointed to revile and prepare for publication a complete edition of the laws of this ſtate now in force; and inſpected the manner in which the work has been executed, are of opinion that the ſame has been prepared with great labour, and diſtinguiſhed accuracy and ability."

For SALE,

A NEGRO man, his wife, and five children: the four eldeſt are boys. The man is a good gardener, and the woman a good houſe wench. For terms inquire at this office. 2

In CHANCERY, April 30, 1802.

Leakin Dorſey and David Lafavour,

vs.

The heirs of George Steyer.

THE object of the bill filed in this cauſe is to obtain a decree to veſt in David Lafavour, one of the complainants, the legal title and eſtate in fee of and in two tracts of land lying in Wallington county, one called THE WINDOW'S PURCHASE, the other called ROGUE'S HARBOUR, which George Steyer, deceaſed, by bond of conveyance, dated the firſt day of March, in the year one thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy-nine, ſold unto Leakin Dorſey, and which the ſaid Leakin Dorſey, by a bond of conveyance dated the twenty-eighth of March, ſeventeen hundred and eighty-nine, ſold unto David Lafavour. The bill ſtates, that the ſaid George Steyer is dead, without having any heir known of and capable of inheriting his real eſtate; it is thereupon, on motion of the complainants, ordered, that he cauſe a copy of this order to be inſerted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of three ſucceſſive weeks before the firſt day of June next, to the intent that the heirs of the ſaid George Steyer may have notice of the preſent application, and the object of the bill filed, and may be warned to appear in this court, in perſon, or by ſolicitor, on or before the firſt Tueſday of October next, to ſhew cauſe, if any they have, why a decree ſhould not paſs as prayed. 3

True copy,

Teſt. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

GEORGE WELLS,

Boot and Shoe-maker,

BEGS leave to inform his friends, and the public, that he has removed to the houſe formerly occupied by THOMAS M'NIER, in Church-ſtreet, a door below capt. Weſt's, and nearly oppoſite the City Tavern, where he caries on the above buſineſs in all its branches with neatneſs and diſpatch; he returns thanks to the public for paſt favours, and hopes to merit a continuance.

N. B. He has a quantity of ſilk umbrellas for ſale.

Annapolis, April 20, 1802. 2

FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS,

Of every Deſcription.

THE ſubſcribers beg leave to inform the public in general, and their friends in particular, that they have juſt received from Philadelphia, and now opening at their ſhop, in Cornhill-ſtreet, next door to Mr. Lloyd M. Lowe, an elegant aſſortment of ladies and gentlemen's faſhionable goods, for this and the enſuing ſeaſon, which they are determined to ſell at the moſt reduced prices, and hope thereby to merit the attention of thoſe who wiſh to favour them with their cuſtom.

M. & B. CURRAN.

Annapolis, April 27, 1802. 3

I HEREBY forbid all perſons from paſſing in any manner through my plantations, but by and with the public roads leading through them, or from hunting with either dogs or gun, particularly thoſe who pull down my fences on that direction of my plantation adjoining the land of the late Vincent Luſby.

W. BROGDEN.

April 22, 1802. 3

On Monday the 10th day of May, if fair, if not on the firſt fair day, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the ſubſcriber will offer at SALE,

A LARGE quantity of Indian corn, milch cows and calves, and work oxen, horſes, hogs, and farming utenſils, &c. For all ſums under twenty dollars CASH muſt be paid, for all above that ſum the purchaſer will be indulged with a credit of ſix months, on his giving bond, on intereſt, with good ſecurity. The ſale will continue till all be ſold.

JOHNSON MICHAEL O'REILLY,
Near South river ferry.

April 21, 1802. X

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away on the evening of the firſt inſtant, a negro man called CHARLES, a ſhort black fellow, thirty-five years of age, ſtrong and active, broad ſhoulders, large face, noſe, mouth, and thick lips, marked in the face by the ſmall-pox; his left ear is much ſmaller than the right; he walks remarkably wide, and turns his toes very much in. He went off about this time laſt year, and was out nine months, employed by, and taken in the houſe of, a free negro, who rents land of Samuel Ward, near Herring creek church, who knew him to be my ſlave; he has a quick way of ſpeaking, and a remarkable down look when ſpoken to. It is preſumed he will make for the Federal City or Baltimore, and will endeavour to paſs for a free man, and probably will take the name of, and may obtain a paſs from, ſome free negro. A reward of twenty dollars will be paid for taking and ſecuring him at either of the above cities, or ten dollars if taken a leſs diſtance, with reaſonable expences if delivered to Joſeph Taylor, or

W. BROGDEN.

Anne-Arundel county, July 30, 1801.

In COUNCIL, Annapolis, February 4, 1802.

ORDERED, That the Act to alter ſuch parts of the conſtitution and form of government as relate to voters, and the qualifications of voters, paſſed at the laſt ſeſſion of the general aſſembly of this ſtate, be publiſhed twice in each week, for the ſpace of three months, ſucceſſively, in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the Federal Gazette, the Americaſ, and the Telegraphe, at Baltimore; the Muſeum, at George-town; the National Intelligencer; the paper at Eaſton; Bartgis's paper, at Frederick-town, and in the Wallington Spy.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY, Cl.

An ACT to alter ſuch parts of the conſtitution and form of government as relate to voters, and qualifications of voters.

BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Aſſembly of Maryland*, That every free white male citizen of this ſtate, and no other, above twenty-one years of age, having reſided twelve months in the county next preceding the election at which he offers to vote, and every free white male citizen of this ſtate, above twenty-one years of age, and having obtained a reſidence of twelve months next preceding the election in the city of Baltimore or the city of Annapolis, and at which he offers to vote, ſhall have a right of ſuffrage, and ſhall vote by ballot in the election of ſuch county or city, or either of them, for delegates to the general aſſembly, electors of the ſenate, and ſheriffs.

And be it enacted, That all and every part of the conſtitution and form of government of this ſtate repugnant to, or inconſiſtent with, the proviſions of this act, ſhall be and the ſame are hereby abrogated, annulled, and made void.

And be it enacted, That if this act ſhall be confirmed by the general aſſembly, after the next election of delegates, in the firſt ſeſſion after ſuch new election, as the conſtitution and form of government directs, that in ſuch caſe this act, and the alteration of the ſaid conſtitution contained therein, ſhall be conſidered as a part, and ſhall conſtitute and be valid as a part, of the ſaid conſtitution and form of government, to all intents and purpoſes, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithſtanding. 14

VACHEL STEVENS

BEGS leave to inform his friends, and the public in general, that he has removed to the houſe lately occupied by Mr. THOMAS HARRIS, near the Bath, where he continues to accommodate boarders by the year or day, as uſual. He has good ſtabling for horſes.

Annapolis, April 14, 1802. X

COMMITTED to my cuſtody, as a runaway, a negro by the name of WILLIAM BERBECK, who ſays he was ſet free by William Cox, of Anne-Arundel county, and has a certificate ſigned Nich. Harwood, dated the 26th of July, 1799, who certifies, that William Coe liberated a negro by the name of William Berbeck; this fellow, in cuſtody, is about 25 years of age, 6 feet high, ſtrait made, and has a black ſmooth ſkin; his cloathing a blue cloth jacket and pantaloons, a ſtriped waiſtcoat, a pair of ſtriped yarn trouſers, a pair of white yarn ſtockings, a pair of coarſe ſtrong ſhoes, and an old hat. His owner is requeſted to releaſe him, or he will be ſold for his fees as the law directs.

FRANCIS MILLARD, Sheriff of St. Mary's county, Maryland.

February 23, 1802. 3

COMMITTED to my cuſtody as runaways, the following negroes, viz. SARAH, forty years of age, or upwards, a ſtout well looking black woman, dreſſed chiefly in country made cloth, ſays ſhe was ſold ſome time laſt winter by Anthony Levie, of Charles county, to Hiram Rouſſow, of North-Carolina, from whom ſhe made her eſcape ſoon after. Negro BECK, a likely active young woman, between twenty and twenty-five years of age, dreſſed chiefly in old country cloth, ſays ſhe was ſold by Richard Dent, of Prince-George's county, to Joſhua Power, who ſoon after ſold her to two men from Carolina or Georgia, whoſe names ſhe does not recollect, but thinks it was Meſſrs. Degrafinreid and Farr, from whom ſhe ran away laſt fall. MOLLY, a ſmall mulatto woman, between ſixteen and twenty years of age, ſlender made; country cloth jacket and petticoat, ſays ſhe is the property of Theophilus Tebbs, of Eſſex county, Virginia, from whom ſhe ran away in company with her huſband, about one month ago. The owners of the above ſlaves are requeſted to take them away, or they will be ſold agreeably to law for their priſon fees and other charges.

THOMAS PRICE, Sheriff of Charles county.

April 1, 1802. X

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be ſold at the Printing-Office,

Price, One Dollar,

The LAWS

OF

MARYLAND,

Paſſed November Seſſion, 1801.

IMPORTANT,

A fresh supply of the following

VALUABLE MEDICINES

Are received from the Patent and Family Medicine Store of Lee & Co. Baltimore,

And for sale, by

GIDEON WHITE,

At his store, who is appointed the ONLY agent in Annapolis.

Dr. HAMILTON's ELIXIR,

A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthmas, sore throats, and approaching consumptions.

To parents who may have children afflicted with the HOOPING COUGH,

THIS discovery is of the first magnitude, as it is an immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorder to which children are liable, the Elixir is so perfectly agreeable and the dose so small, that no difficulty arises in taking it.

From LUTHER MARTIN, Esq; attorney-general of the State of Maryland.

Gentlemen,

I comply with your request in stating my opinion of Hamilton's elixir—It has been used in my family for two or three years past, with uniform success, whenever colds, coughs, or similar complaints have rendered medicine necessary—I have myself found it an excellent and agreeable remedy for a very painful and troublesome affection of the breast, accompanied with soreness and with obstructed and difficult breathing.

On these accounts I do not hesitate to recommend Hamilton's elixir, as a valuable medicine, and deserving public attention.

LUTHER MARTIN.

Mr. Abijah Henly, Bridge-street, Baltimore, was cured by one bottle of Hamilton's elixir, of a very complicated disorder occasioned by a severe cold caught several months ago—He breathed with the greatest difficulty, and was often thrown into weakening sweats when he attempted to walk any distance, and his voice would frequently fail in such a degree that he could only attempt to whisper; he has been upwards of six weeks without a return of his complaints, and desires to give this public testimony in favour of this invaluable medicine.

Dr. HAMILTON's GRAND RESTORATIVE

IS recommended as an invaluable medicine, for the speedy relief and permanent cure of the various complaints which result from dissipated pleasures—juvenile indiscretions—residence in climates unfavourable—the constitution—the immoderate use of tea, frequent intoxication, or any other destructive intemperance to the unskilful or excessive use of mercury—the diseases peculiar to females, at a certain period of life—bad layings in, &c. &c.

And is proved by long and extensive experience, to be absolutely unparalled in the cure of

Nervous disorders	Violent cramps in the stomach and back
Consumptions	Indigestion
Lowness of spirits	Melancholy
Loss of appetite	Gout in the stomach
Impurity of blood	Pains in the limbs
Hysterical affections	Relaxations
Inward weaknesses	Involuntary emissions
Seminal weaknesses	Obstinate gleets
Fluoralbus (or whites)	Impotency, &c. &c.
Barrenness	

In cases of extremity where the long prevalence and obstinacy of disease has brought on a general impoverishment of the system, excessive debility of the whole frame, and a wasting of the flesh which no nourishment or cordial could repair, a perseverance in the use of this medicine has performed the most astonishing cures.

HAMILTON's

ESSENSE AND EXTRACT OF MUSTARD,

A safe and effectual remedy for gout, rheumatism, palley, sprains, bruises, pains in the face and neck, &c.—And has performed more cures in the above complaints, than all the other medicines ever before made public.

From Dr. Weatherburn.

Wythe county, Virginia.

Gentlemen,

I purchased at your shop the preparations you call *Hamilton's Essence or Extract of Mustard*, which I believe has perfectly removed a chronic rheumatism (of that kind named sciatica, or of the hip joint) under which I had laboured for a long time, and which had baffled every article in the Materia Medica, and every mode of treatment received into practice for the cure of this obstinate disease.—If you think this letter useful you are at liberty to make it public. Yours, &c.

P. WEATHERBURN.

JOHN HOOVER, rope-maker, *South Second-street*, between Mary and Christian-streets, Philadelphia, voluntarily maketh oath as follows, namely—that his wife Mary Hoover was so severely afflicted with violent rheumatism, very dangerously situated, the consequence of a severe cold after lying in, as to be confined to her bed for several weeks, and was at length reduced to the melancholy apprehension of remaining a cripple for life, notwithstanding the most respectable medical advice was followed, and every probable remedy attempted; when seeing several cures of cures performed by Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard, they were procured from Mr. Birch, No. 17, South Second-street. The first application enabled her to walk across the room, and the use of one bottle restored her to her usual state of health and strength. *JOHN HOOVER.*

Sworn and subscribed before *Ebenezer Ferguson*, Esq; one of the justices of the peace for Philadelphia county.

HAMILTON's WORM DESTROYING LOZENGES.

Which have within four years past cured upwards of *one hundred and twenty thousand* persons of both sexes, of every age, and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from worms, and from obstructions or foulness in the stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever of similar title, so commonly complained of as operating with violence; on the contrary, a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and constitution; contains nothing but what is perfectly innocent, and is so mild in its operation that it cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady, or the tenderest infant of a week old, should no worms exist in the body; but will, without pain or griping, cleanse the stomach and bowels of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms and many fatal disorders. They are particularly efficacious in carrying off all gross humours and eruptions; feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and mildest purgative that can be used on any occasion.

DESCRIPTION OF WORMS,

And the symptoms by which they are known.

WORMS which infest the human body, are chiefly of four kinds, viz. the Teres or large round worm, the Ascarides or small maw worm, the Cucurbitina or short flat white worm, and lastly, the Taenia or tape worm, so called from its resemblance to tape—this is often many yards long, and is full of joints—it is the most hurtful and most difficult to cure.

Among the symptoms attending worms are, disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums—itching in the nose and about the seat—convulsions and epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech,—starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep—irregular appetite, sometimes loathing food, and sometimes voracious—Purging, with slimy and fœted stools—vomiting—large and hard belly—pains and sickness at the stomach—pains in the head and thighs, with lowness of spirits—slow fever, with small and irregular pulse—a dry cough—excessive thirst—sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face bloated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms, should have recourse to *Hamilton's Worm destroying Lozenges* which have been constantly attended with success in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent the vomiting and purging of children, a dreadful disorder which annually destroys thousands of the infant part of our cities. It is likewise the mildest and most certain remedy known, and has restored to health and strength a great number when in an advanced stage of this fatal complaint. Particular and plain instructions are given for every part of the necessary treatment in such cases.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance, and an agreeable taste.

CASES OF CURES.

(Selected from thousands) the authenticity of which any person may ascertain, either by letter or personal application.

TAPE WORM.

Mr. SAMUEL FULLER, *Inn-keeper, on the Harford road, ten miles from Baltimore*, began about 20 months ago to be grievously afflicted with a tape worm, which increased fast in size and strength, so as to excite the most horrid sensations by its writhing motions and intolerable pains, resembling the gnawing and tearing of his bowels, which deprived him of his necessary sleep, and caused such dreadful apprehensions as cannot be conceived but by one in a similar situation—his appetite wasted rapidly, and with that his strength, so that he was unable to attend to any business—when he heard of some excellent cures performed by Hamilton's worm lozenges, he took a large dose, which brought away about FOUR YARDS of the worm *(now in the possession of Lee & Co.)*—but a renewal of his pains soon convinced him that this monstrous reptile had recovered its first vigour—Application was made to Lee & Co. for more of their medicine, with their advice—from which resulted the total expulsion of his formidable enemy, in several pieces, which he supposed to be SIX or EIGHT YARDS more. A few months have since elapsed, and Mr. Fuller is now in perfect health. The above facts are well known to a numerous circle of his neighbours, and himself will gratify any who may wish to make further inquiries on the subject. Although Hamilton's worm lozenges produce such powerful effects, when necessary, yet they are perfectly innocent and mild in their operation on the human body, even taken in large doses, as Mr. Fuller will testify—their peculiar mildness is abundantly evident in innumerable cures of infants.

Communicated by Dr. John Spangler, York-town, Pennsylvania.

Letter from the reverend Mr. JOHN MOLTHER, minister of the Moravian church, in York-town.

York, January 4th, 1802.

Dear Sir,

Dr. Hamilton's lozenges have been recommended to me as a very adequate means for the cure of children afflicted with worms, I procured a box for the use of my family, to try, whether by means of this medicine, I might be enabled to gain a point, which, to accomplish, different other means had proved abortive. My eldest boy had a very sickly appearance, was very restless at night, grew leaner from time to time; in short, he seemed to be in a precarious state of health, *which would yield to none of the medicines administered*, until I gave him two doses of lozenges, agreeably to the directions, which carried off a substance to all appearance mere mucus, but upon close inspection quite replete with very small living animals. Not one of that sort of worms which usually afflict children, came from him. Since that period he grew remarkably better in health, and though lean, has got a fresh and lively complexion. Upon different occasions I have used this medicine as a purging substitute, and found it to answer exceedingly well, without bringing on belly-ache, or any of those disagreeable sensations, so often occasioned by purging medicines. Upon the whole, I judge this medicine to be, besides its main object, one of the most salutary means for restoring lost appetite, and promoting a proper state of digestion, by carrying off that bilious substance, which engenders so much indisposition both among children and adults.

I am, Sir, your most obedient servant,

JOHN MOLTHER.

Dr. HAHN's TRUE and GENUINE GERMAN CORN PLASTER.

An infallible remedy for corns, speedily removing them root and branch, without giving pain.

THE PERSIAN LOTION,

So celebrated amongst the fashionable throughout Europe,

As an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellent minerals, (the basis of other lotions) and of unparallelled efficacy in preventing and removing blemishes of the face and skin of every kind, particularly freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetters, ringworms, sun burns, prickly heat, &c.

The Persian Lotion operates mildly, without impeding that natural, insensible perspiration which is essential to health—Yet its salutary effects are speedy and permanent, rendering the skin delicately soft and clear, improving the complexion and restoring the bloom of youth. Never failing to render an ordinary countenance beautiful, and an handsome one more so.

THE RESTORATIVE POWDER FOR THE TEETH AND GUMS.

This excellent preparation comforts and strengthens the gums, preserves the enamel from decay, and cleanses and whitens the teeth, by absorbing all that acrimonious slime and foulness, which suffered to accumulate, never fails to injure and finally ruin them.

Dr. HAHN's GENUINE WATER.

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effects of natural weakness or of accident, speedily removing inflammations, defluxions of rheum, dullness, itching, and films on the eyes, never failing to cure those maladies which frequently succeed the small-pox, measles, and fevers, and wonderfully strengthening a weak sight. Hundreds have experienced its excellent virtues, *when nearly deprived of sight.*

TOOTH-ACHE DROPS.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

THE SOVEREIGN OINTMENT FOR THE ITCH.

Which is warranted an infallible remedy at one application, and may be used with the most perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury, or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and is not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

THE ANODYNE ELIXIR.

For the cure of every kind of head-ache.

INDIAN VEGETABLE SPECIFIC,

A safe and speedy remedy for a certain disease.

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

For the prevention and cure of bilious and malignant fevers,

IS RECOMMENDED

Dr. HAHN's ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons, in every situation, and of every age.

They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile; and prevents its morbid secretions; to restore and mend the appetite; to procure a free perspiration, and thereby prevent colds, which are often of fatal consequences; a dose never fails to remove a cold, if taken on its first appearance. They are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness, sickness at the stomach, and severe head-ache, and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

ANNAPOLIS:
Printed by Farquhar and Green.
Gazette.